

PORTLAND FREIGHT COMMITTEE NOTES

Meeting No. 230

WHEN: Thursday, November 3rd, 2022 @ 7:30 AM

WHERE: Virtual Zoom/ Meeting



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<u>Time:</u>	<u>Topic:</u>	<u>Lead:</u>
7:30 AM	Welcome and Zoom Meeting Protocol: Minutes approved.	Gabriela Giron / Mark Lear
7:35 AM	Hot Topics, Points of Interest	Jana Jarvis / All
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">• Zef Wagner (PBOT) mentioned that City Council directed PBOT to revisit truck routing and freight classification in the area after the fatal crash at 26th and Powell. Therefore, PBOT is evaluating potential Freight Network classification changes and wayfinding and access improvements between the UP Annex, Powell, and Holgate.• Caitlin Reff (PBOT), part of the I-5 Rose Quarter project management team, mentioned that:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ ODOT and the consultant project team will present a briefing on the project in the December meeting.○ In November, the Federal Highway Administration will publish the Supplemental Environmental Assessment (SEA) for the project that examines the environmental effects associated with the updated "Hybrid 3" highway cover design as further developed by ODOT.• Tom Bouillion mentioned that The Port of Portland had received a total of \$42 million that will be used for Terminal 6 infrastructure improvements, Oregon's only marine container terminal. Last month, the U.S. Maritime Administration's Port Infrastructure Development program awarded the Port \$24.3 million.	
8:00 AM	2040Freight Plan Update	Gabriela Giron, Francesca Jones,
	<ul style="list-style-type: none">- The 2040Freight project team provided a briefing on the following topics:<ul style="list-style-type: none">○ The integration of the PFC, CAC and TAC feedback provided during the 2040Freight workshop○ Additions to the 2040Freight Action list, which includes but are not limited to:<ul style="list-style-type: none">▪ Conduct a study of widening Columbia Blvd from 60th to 82nd to add freight priority lanes▪ Conduct a corridor study along the Union Pacific Mainline Railroad from Albina Yard to Brooklyn Yard to improve, close and/or grade-separate rail crossings in the Central Eastside.▪ Conduct a study of a freight-only or freight-priority bridge over the Willamette River from Hwy 30 to Rivergate	

- 2040Freight major capital project list, which includes a comprehensive list of major capital freight-related projects to update the Transportation System Plan, including regional projects listed in the 2006 Freight plan that have not yet been executed.
- The current prioritization of the 2040Freight major capital projects under PBOT's jurisdiction by infrastructure category (i.e., bridge, street, rail and ITS) based on the collected feedback during the 2040Freight workshop.
- PFC members were invited to participate in an in-person meeting focusing on the 2040Freight Major Capital project list on Monday, November 7th.
- PFC members can provide additional feedback on the project list and the prioritization. The project team distributed packets to assist with their review.
- In response to PFC members expressing the need for a comprehensive look at rail crossing throughout the region, Tim Collins from METRO mentioned that their next study in line is a regional rail study.

8:15 AM Renewable Fuels Standard Code Update

**Andria Jacob, Kyle
Diesner (BPS)**

- BPS staff gave a briefing on the amends to the Renewable Fuel Standard Code Update based on the public feedback. The amends will be share with the committee members after the meeting.
- The new code version will be presented at City Council on November 16.
- One change to the code includes a goal of 99% renewable by 2030 rather than 2026.
- BPS will convene a technical advisory committee (TAC) of renewable fuel producers and suppliers (both wholesale and retail) and economists to advise the Bureau regarding fuel supply and cost, as well as its interplay with carbon intensity. This committee will be established by July 31, 2023.

9:20 AM Public Comments

9:30 AM Adjourn

Questions about this agenda or other questions about the Portland Freight Committee please contact:

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